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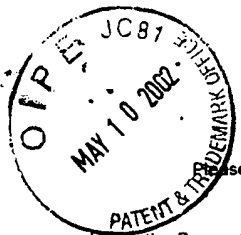
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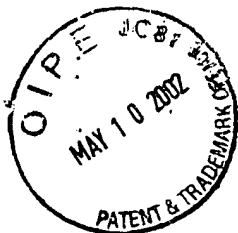
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FOR: METHOD FOR DETECTING PATHOGENIC MICROORGANISM AND ANTIMICROBIAL AGENT, METHOD FOR EVALUATING EFFECT OF ANTIMICROBIAL AGENT, AND ANTIMICROBIAL AGENT

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REMARKS

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.97, this statement is being filed:

- ☐ (1) with the filing of this U.S. National Phase Application.
- ☒ (2) within three (3) months of the Filing Date or **before the mailing date of the First Office Action** on the merits; or

- \_\_\_\_\_ (3) within three months of the mailing date of the PCT International Search Report; or  
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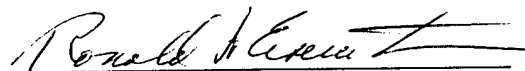
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\_\_\_\_\_ have been cited in the parent application, and are thus not being resubmitted herein.  
Early examination and allowance of the present application are respectfully solicited.

#### FEE AUTHORIZATION

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